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ST. ALBERT BRIEFS

ST. ALBERT. — Mrs. A. Derozier of Legal, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Lafranchise.

Marie Paul Lavoie has taken a new position. She is now working at the Hotel Coffee Shop.

Little Katy Sumner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sumner, has returned home after spending two weeks in hospital.

Mr. Alfred Sevigny is in the hospital to be operated on shortly.

We received word that Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sevigny, formerly of St. Albert, have their baby son in the hospital. We hope he will be back home soon.

Mrs. James Arcand is also in hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

The Ladies of the Altar Society held their regular monthly meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. Henri Lafranchise.

St. Albert School News

The Mardi Gras that has been discussed for the last month is now a "has been." The hard work and preparation that went into it was well rewarded. In plain language it was a "bang-up affair."

The costumes, although none too numerous, were very unique and some were even authentic. The title "best dressed woman" very fittingly went to Mrs. Leonard for her "bunny rabbit" outfit. She was well disguised with her white coat and long ears.

Choosing the winner among the costumed men was rather difficult as there were only two and they were both worthy of the prize. The honors were shared by Mr. Vague and Albert Genoux. We still wish that one of the students hadn't got cold feet and removed his very appropriate costume before the parade.

The evening was climaxed with the "balloon scramble." This was really comical to see. Everyone had a wonderful time and even some were overheard saying, "This will have to be a yearly event."

By the way, the net proceeds totalled around \$85.00. This, we hope will help us in our effort to publish the school year-book.

We are also in possession of two ping-pong tables. There really are getting to be some professionals among the students. Once we learn to wait our turn at playing it will be better for all.

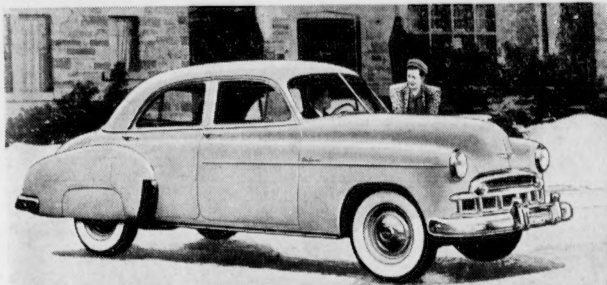
Don't be surprised at seeing the students carrying cameras around. The school grounds have turned into a regular "movie-land." After enough coaxing and even threats from our year-book chairman the children have finally turned out in grand style and there is a continuous "click, click." Too bad some of us aren't photogenic.

Due to the splendid effort put forth by all the class, and with a small donation from the Students' Union, Mrs. Bission's Grade 5 and 6 students were able to purchase a combination radio and record player. The Grade 1 and 2 have displayed the same skill in their purchase of a radio.

The next show, March 18, will be "A Bell For Adano."

In Canada there's a telephone for every five persons; in Russia, one for every 140.

Automobile Styles For 1949



The 1949 Chevrolet is completely restyled, lower, wider and is available in two series—Fleetline and Styleline—with a wide variety of body types. Shown here is the Styleline four-door deluxe sedan. There has been an immense increase in glass area with all windows deepened and widened. The windshield takes full advantage of wider bodies, curving inward at the narrowed pillars to improve side-way as well as forward vision. The gain in visibility over 1948 has been as much as 30 per cent on comparable models. The new Chevrolet for 1949 is powered by a rugged six-cylinder, valve-in-head engine.

LEGAL NEWS

LEGAL.—Mr. Hector Toupin has sold out and moved to Edmonton. Mr. Paul Chauvet is now on Mr. Toupin's farm.

Mrs. Venne came back from the hospital last Saturday.

A party at Art Montpeller's in Morinville Saturday night ended in a puffed wheat riot. A group of Legalties attended.

A surprise party for Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius was held on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary on March 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Bergevin are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Mr. Emile Prefontaine who worked for the Wheat Pool all winter is relief agent at Stony Plain. There are rumors that Mr. Emile Parent now Wheat Pool agent at Morinville will be coming to Legal very shortly.

C.Y.O. members from Edmonton, St. Albert, Morinville and Picardville were here Sunday. A club is being formed here. Sunday afternoon a game of basketball was played by two Edmonton teams. A meeting was held. Walter Van De Walla was elected president, Eliza Montpetit secretary, Emile Potvin vice-president and Norman Letourneau treasurer. There was a bit of folk dancing also.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT

ST. ALBERT. — During February, 1949: Clara Paquette—Wilful damage to property. Fined \$20.00 and costs and ordered to pay damages of \$10.00 in default two months' imprisonment (16-2-49). (Clara Paquette took jail term).

Sally Haug—Wilful damage to property. Fined \$20.00 and costs and ordered to pay \$10.00 damages (16-2-49).

William Lutsky—Illegal possession of liquor, AGLC act. Fined \$20.00 and costs.

During the month of March, 1949: John Porkipchuk—Illegal possession of liquor, AGLC act. Fined \$20.00 and costs.

Robert Loveday—Illegal pos-

VILLENEUVE NEWS

VILLENEUVE. — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Simon Oulmet on March 1st, a baby girl. Congratulations! Vivian Calahoo was the victim of a broken arm last week when the cutter in which she was riding upset. The other passengers were uninjured.

The members of the C.Y.O. are sponsoring a card party which will be held in the parish hall on March 13th, starting at 8:30 p.m. Both whist and bridge will be played. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Aurele Durocher, their three children and Miss Marie-Claire Hebert left last Thursday for a car trip in the Peace River district where they will visit Mrs. Durocher's brothers.

Mrs. J. Martel played the organ on Sunday because the usual organist was absent. Thank you, Mrs. Martel, the C.Y.O. appreciated it!

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VIMY NEWS

VIMY.—Mrs. Aime Casavant of Vimy is the youngest daughter of the late Mrs. Aristide Riopel of Morinville who died recently in Edmonton.

Mrs. L. Miserva (Dorina Carriere) visited her parents last week.

Mrs. A. Krauskopf (Francis Dusseault) visited her parents last week. Mr. and Mrs. Krauskopf will move into their newly built home this week.

Others visiting during the weekend were: Miss Amada Dusseault, Gerard Paletier, Ernest Chaput and Lucien Gingras.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Bloudeau at the General hospital, on March 7, a daughter, Marie Lorraine.

session of liquor, AGLC act. Fined \$20.00 and costs.

C.Y.O. Communion And Outing

VIMY.—The C.Y.O. members held their first monthly communion last Sunday.

The first group communion since their organization in January was very successful. Breakfast was served in a special room prepared in the basement of the priest house. A meeting was held after the repast to discuss group activities during Lent.

In the evening a sleigh party was organized though the roads were a bit on the muddy side. Regardless of this the party had a very excellent excursion. The large tractors furnished the power on this trip permitting the excursion to take a longer ride than with horses. All members came back from the Weiner and marshmallow roast with a song or shout on their lips.

The C.Y.O. is preparing for a whist drive this coming Sunday in the hall.

School Trustees Are Elected

VIMY.—Elections for the coming year's trustees were held in the high school on Monday.

The meeting immediately got down to business and three new trustees were named. Mr. Denis Huot, Mr. Oscar Chevrier and Mr. Edmund Sabourin were elected. They have not yet named a secretary and chairman for the group. Business of interest to the school was discussed and moved upon with a lively interest.

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MORINVILLE NEWS

MORINVILLE. — Leona's Beauty Parlor, operated by Miss Leona Gervais, has been re-opened, this time in A. Briette's house. Miss Gervais moved into her new location last Wednesday.

A baby boy was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Neill. Mrs. O'Neill is the former Miss Gertrude Hermanutz of Alcomdale.

Mrs. E. Weigand has returned home from a week's stay in the hospital.

The annual Co-op meeting will be held Saturday, March 12, in the Parish hall, commencing at 1 p.m.

At the general meeting held in the town hall last Sunday night, nothing more than several good discussions were accomplished. Very few people turned out, making it impossible to come to any definite conclusions. However, another general meeting will be held in several weeks time, so be sure to attend this one.

Miss Ruth Elithe, an employee of the Royal Bank, plans to leave Saturday for a two-week stay at the coast. In her absence, Miss Sophie Dowhanuk will take over the teller's duties.

NEW 4c STAMP

A special 4-cent postage stamp will be issued on the 1st April, 1949, to commemorate the entry of Newfoundland into Canadian Confederation.

The new stamp will supplement the regular 4-cent denomination for a period of about three months, and arrangements are being made to have it on sale at Post Offices in the larger centres throughout Canada on that date.

The size of the new stamp will be approximately 1 1/2"x1", or the same size as the current Pictorial Issue.

Orders for the new stamp, in mint condition may now be sent to the Philatelic Section, Financial Branch, Post Office Department, Ottawa, Canada, and will receive the earliest possible attention after the 1st April, 1949.

FIRST DAY COVERS

To meet the wishes of First Day Cover collectors, arrangements are being made to furnish selected advance supplies of the new stamp to the City Post Office at St. John's, Newfoundland, where mail order requests for First Day Covers will be attended to under the following conditions:—

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THE PROVINCIAL BUDGET

With leaders of the opposition parties joining in congratulations to the Premier on the presentation of his new budget, it is evident there is not much dissension on this phase of the Government's work. With the bonanza of several millions of dollars in oil royalties, sales of leases etc., the Social Credit Government couldn't do much better even if Ottawa granted them the right to create unlimited purchasing power.

There also can be no argument against the use of current revenue funds for increased social benefits, such as hospitalization, pensions and welfare. And it seems that with increased business we should have increased revenue to take care of the anticipated deficit of \$2,750,000.00 that the Premier has budgeted for.

What we should remember, however, is that when oil is taken out of the ground it isn't replaceable and neither is the revenue that the government derives therefrom. Revenues from the sale of oil and gas rights should be considered return of capital and not used to bolster current spending. It should be used to build roads, bridges, public buildings. It should be used to lay gas pipe lines to towns in Alberta so that people living in towns can buy natural gas for cooking and heating at a price on a par with rates charged in the cities.

WE SPEND MONEY TO DO BOTH

Dr. Cross, with a royal commission report in his brief case that decries the system of exporting Alberta babies to the States for adoption still persists in thinking that is quite alright. One branch of the government spends money to bring immigrants to Alberta; another branch spends money on sending native-born babies out of the country. There is no need for the Health Minister to carry this stubborn opinion against every wish of the people and against good business principles. There aren't enough babies for adoption in Alberta, so why should the Minister want to send them away?

Letter to the Editor

The second week in the present Session saw a continuation of the debate from the Speech from the Throne.

Honourable C. E. Gerhart reported on the Department of Municipal Affairs and indicated that many of the recommendation of the Judge Report would be implemented at this Session. He told the House that the financial position of the organized Municipalities was very favourable and that in total they have a cash balance at

the end of the year of \$2,330.00 plus \$1,778,000 in bonds.

The Minister scored the Municipal Districts for giving special tax and assessment considerations to entice new industries and at the same time asked the Government for more financial aid to make up their revenue. He contended that fair taxation would not stop any industries in becoming established in Alberta. The only time that he would favour giving consideration to tax reductions was to an industry during the period of construction.

About thirty bills have been in-

roduced and given first or second reading. A change in the Town and Village Act will permit towns to be administered by a town manager instead of by committees of a very busy Council. This requires the approval of the voters in the town or village.

The Department of Municipal Affairs will set up a new assessment staff of professional men who will assess all towns, villages and hamlets who are required to do so and 25% of the cost of the assessment will be paid by the Department of Municipal Affairs.

The Live Stock Diseases Act amendments will allow a Municipality or a part of it to establish a Range Restricted Area. This can be done by a two-thirds favourable vote of the ratepayers of the entire Municipality. All animals in the area will be tested and all that react will be branded with a "B" on the jaw. This will then prevent the re-sale of those animals without people knowing what they are buying. This program, coupled with a calfhood vaccination plan which has proven very successful where started, should do much towards eliminating this disease.

It is expected that the debate from the Speech from the Throne will conclude next week and that the Premier will bring down the Budget.

W. MASSON, M.L.A.

Opportunity For Canada

PORT WILLIAM.—That the "shift in the economic centre of gravity to the North American continent holds out great opportunities for Canada if we can but grasp them," was suggested by W. T. G. Hackett, economic adviser of the Bank of Montreal. In an address to the Chamber of Commerce here.

"Across the Atlantic today people are looking abroad," Mr. Hackett said. "On all sides one hears of plans to go where fresh opportunities exist—opportunities for industry in the sense of resources and markets and for individuals in terms of a fuller life.

"It is too fantastic to suggest that the ultimate resolution of the deep-rooted economic dislocations, that have been so apparent in the first half of the twentieth century, will involve a great migration of people and skills from an over-crowded Europe to the New World?"

SWIFT PROGRESS

In relation to her population, Canada is probably developing new industry today at a more rapid rate than any other country in the world, the speaker asserted.

"Looking to the future, a well considered and vigorous immigration policy can broaden our home market and facilitate further industrialization, developments that will tend to diminish our vulnerability to outside influences," Mr. Hackett commented.

"I suggest also that there is one competitive advantage that a small industrial nation can readily achieve, and that is a world-wide reputation for specialty products of extremely high quality and

standard. In this respect, why couldn't Canada become the Sweden or Switzerland of the Western World?"

PERMANENT NEED FOR NEW CAPITAL

An adequate and continuing supply of new capital in the sense of everything from a farm tractor to a vast industrial plant was an indispensable condition of material progress, Mr. Hackett emphasized.

"We are, therefore, driven back to the truth that thrift—the saving up of something from today's output to increase and improve the output of tomorrow—is not a moth-eaten, static and rather dubious virtue but a fundamental law of dynamic growth," he continued. "And yet it has for some time been apparent that we are endeavoring to do more in the way of industrial expansion in Canada than the flow of capital forthcoming from the aggregate savings of business and individuals will permit."

An expanding economy required an environment in which the essential function of the risk-taker—the man who was willing to stake his money on new processes and ideas—was recognized, encouraged and rewarded, Mr. Hackett pointed out, adding that truly progressive public policies designed to accelerate the growth trend must take the matter of incentives to enterprise fully into account.

"On the other hand," the speaker said, "I have faint hope that we can achieve our economic destiny if there should grow up in this country a philosophy that confuses the distribution of income with the creation of wealth, that regards the rewards of thrift and enterprise as anti-social or downright sinful and which, in its emphasis on security for the individual, thwarts and diminishes the productivity upon which individual well-being and social advances are ultimately dependent."

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Overseas Dignitaries Invited to Edinburgh; Festival Procession

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Invitations are being sent to Brussels, Nicosia, (Cyprus), Copenhagen, Helsinki, Paris, Gibraltar, Athens, Reykjavik, (Iceland), Rome, Valetta, The Hague and Amsterdam, Oslo, Lisbon, Stockholm, Berne, Zurich and Geneva, and Ankara.

If they accept, the overseas representatives, in their robes and chains of office, will take part in a parade rich in pageantry. On Sunday, August 21st, they will file in procession, headed by the Lord Provost, from the City Chambers, across the historic High Street or Royal Mile of Edinburgh, to the ancient cathedral of St. Giles, and there take part with the thousands of festival artists and visitors in the Service of Praise with which the festival is always opened.

The visiting dignitaries, it is hoped, will then attend several of the festival performances, and will see some of Scotland's famous beauty spots before returning home.

400th Anniversary Of English Prayer Book

The Church of England throughout the world will celebrate, during this year, the 400th anniversary of the publication of the first known as the English Prayer Book. This is now Common Prayer which is based on the version first drafted and published during the reign of King Henry VIII's son, Edward VI. The Frigate of Britain has appointed a committee to supervise arrangements for these celebrations. It is under the chairmanship of the Dean of Westminster.

The celebrations will be concerned not only with the English Prayer Book in its original, but also as it has been known, used and loved by generations of English-speaking peoples throughout the world. The climax will be reached in May when special services will be held, both in Westminster Abbey and in York Minster.

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Red Cross Will Observe Sunday

TORONTO — Arthur L. Bishop, chairman of the national executive committee, Canadian Red Cross, recently announced that February has been set aside as Red Cross Sunday, and February 26th as Red Cross Sabbath.

Observance of the two special days in churches and synagogues throughout the nation precedes the opening of the annual Red Cross national appeal to be conducted from February 28th throughout the month of March. Mention of the appeal will also be made in churches on Sundays Mar. 6th and 13th. Red Cross branches in many communities throughout Canada are planning additional functions to give the day special significance.

"This practice is a tradition among clergymen of all faiths to give spiritual meaning to the Red Cross appeal," Mr. Bishop said.

National Memorial Fund for Boys' Clubs

The famous British radio comedian Tommy Handley, who died recently, is to be commemorated by the National Memorial Fund. This witty jester was not only beloved by millions in Britain but had a wide and appreciative audience among overseas listeners to the British Broadcasting Corporation.

Proceeds of the fund are to be devoted to furthering an object Tommy Handley had very much at heart—the work of the National Association of Boys' Clubs, which has a membership throughout Britain of 195,000 boys between the ages of 14 and 18.

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Should Alberta Export Natural Gas?

Second *Radio Talk By Mr. James Walker For Northwest Natural Gas Co. — here condensed.

In my discussion a week ago, I stated that gas would be exported from Alberta. I pointed out that (a) the Company fully agrees with the principle that the present and future requirements of Alberta must be provided for and take priority over export; (b) it is only a portion of the surplus that the Company wishes to export; (c) present estimates of 4.3 trillion cubic feet are more than sufficient to supply Alberta's present and future demands; (d) a market for gas would encourage further exploration and discovery of natural gas; (e) natural gas export industry would give rise to many by-product industries in the Province.

BEST ROUTE CHOSEN

I should now like to deal more fully with the project of the Northwest Natural Gas Company and the economic benefits which will accrue to the people of Alberta when the pipe line is built. The Company has chosen the route which has been carefully examined by the people of Alberta in the past 20 years. The Company first carefully examined two alternative routes across British Columbia, but engineering and economic considerations led to a pipe line direct to Vancouver, across British Columbia, could only be built at a prohibitive cost, with that it could not be maintained in repair in the winter months. Accordingly a route that starts through the Crownanet Pass to Kingsgate, then to Spokane, Seattle, and Vancouver. Approximately 1,000 miles, including gathering lines, will be laid in Canada and about 700 miles in the United States.

MONEY FOR ALBERTA

The estimated cost of constructing the pipe line is 100 million dollars. During construction, the sum of approximately 16 million dollars will be spent in Alberta for labor. A Canadian company will be formed to construct, own and operate that part of the system lying in Canada. It is estimated that 1 million dollars will be paid yearly in Alberta for wages and salaries. In addition approximately 250,000 dollars will be paid yearly in wages by the companies who supply the gas. The Company will pay a minimum of 173 million dollars over the first 25 years period for natural gas now in the United States. It is estimated that 7 million dollars per annum. This will be new money. It will come from the sales outside of the Province and be paid to the producers of gas. Furthermore, a substantial portion of gas will be paid for in United States dollars which will improve Canada's foreign exchange position. The project will be one of Alberta's largest industries.

The financial returns from the project will be of tremendous importance in the economic life of Alberta. The project will bring substantial sums of new money into the province, it will provide regular employment and a steady flow of monies to the government and others, for royalties, taxes, salaries, wages. It will also give returns on investments and provide other benefits. It will be a steady stabilizing force in the economy of Alberta.

ENCOURAGE DISCOVERY

It might also be stated that the Company has contracts with three of the major oil companies to supply the gas when the pipe line is completed. One of these companies had shut down on its operations because there is no market for its gas. When the pipe line is built it has agreed to drill an additional 2 wells which will cost approximately 60,000 dollars. Another company will drill an additional 12 wells when the pipe line is built and the gas has under taken to drill as many wells as may be necessary to fulfill its contract deliveries. This confirms that a market for gas will encourage

drilling new wells and will have the effect of adding to the present reserves.

A pipe line to the North Pacific Coast will have little effect, if any, on Alberta's coal industry. One of the other hand experiments are now being conducted to produce a high B.T.U. gas from coal at low cost. It is believed that a process will be found in the near future which will enable coal gas to compete with natural gas and in this event the coal industry would benefit as the pipe line could then be used to transport coal gas to the coast.

ALBERTA TOWNS SERVED

It is the intention of the Northwest Natural Gas Company to co-operate as closely as possible with present distributing systems in the Province in order to serve the best interests of the people of Alberta. The companies distributing gas in Alberta will have the opportunity to get supplies from the Northwest Natural Gas Company which would give them new and enlarged reserves without having to make substantial capital expenditures to buy pipe lines to distant fields. Some of the gathering lines in connection with the pipe line could be used to supply local distributing systems which are not now being served with gas.

SUMS UP

Summing up what I have said in my two broadcasts, it will be in the best interests of Alberta to export as for the following reasons:

1. The reserves of natural gas are more than sufficient to supply the present and foreseeable requirements of the Province.

2. There is ample surplus for export.

3. A new major industry will be brought to the Province which will attract other industries.

4. Large sums of money will be brought into the Province and spent on new industries.

5. The revenues of the Province will be increased by royalties and by taxation.

6. Natural gas will be made available to many localities within the Province which are not now being served with gas.

7. The development of other resources of the Province will be encouraged.

8. Alberta can contribute in a larger way to reciprocal trade relations with the United States and in so doing improve Canada's position in American dollars.

9. The pipe line would be a definite asset and a necessity in time of war.

From the information I have given in the course of my radio broadcast, I trust the people of Alberta will have a clear understanding of the project of the Northwest Natural Gas Company. As I said in my previous broadcast it is a subject of major importance. It is only by knowing the facts that the question can be solved satisfactorily.

Liberal Executive In Session

There were 15 members present at the meeting of the executive of the Jasper-Edson Liberal Association at Edson on Friday, March 4. Good progress was made in making plans for the organizing of the 1949 election.

The importance of having a government supporter as the constituency representative at Ottawa is becoming more generally recognized by the elector of all shades of political affiliation, according to the opinion of those attending the meeting.

Among those present were the Liberal candidate, J. W. Weibourn. Mrs. Weibourn, and the Liberal organizer, J. Connor.

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United States potato growers in the late and intermediate States have indicated their intention to plant potatoes on 1.61 million acres in 1949. This acreage is 7 per cent smaller than that planted in 1948.

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LAC LA BICHE NEWS

LAC LA BICHE.—Mr. Verenka of Calgary is here visiting his brother Bill, the shoemaker, for two weeks.

Leslie Erickson from Edmonton spent a week here visiting. He went to Egg Lake from here to visit his brother Herbert.

A new crew of oil drillers have arrived here to go to Chard to drill.

Mrs. J. Zaluzny has returned from Edmonton where she spent a week or so with her husband.

Mrs. E. Edstrom of Edberg spent a few days in Lac la Biche visiting her sister, Mrs. George Blair. Mrs. Edstrom was accompanied by her small daughter Sharon.

Mr. Stuperigh cut his arm badly on a set of circular saws that are used in the clothes-pin making machine.

Jack Ferris, M. Steeple, Mr. Emil Richard and Steve Hamar were in Athabasca last week for the curling bonspiel. Five games were played and they won one. Six visiting rinks participated and there were 29 locals. Mr. Boyed's Peace River rink were the big winners of prizes.

The Lindley outfit have taken their equipment from Grandin. Another drilling outfit will come to finish the drilling there.

The Regent Oil outfit at Owl River have unloaded equipment and are setting up a derrick there. They expect to be drilling in a few days.

Mr. Young and Mr. Robertson of Edmonton are taking over the "Brite Spot" in a few weeks.

The Boyle Midgets defeated the Lac la Biche Midgets in a hockey game Sunday night, Feb. 27. Score 5-2.

The Mercantile has been moved to the new store across the street.

The taxi man is busy hauling the Regent Oil crew across the lake to Owl River daily.

A big snow plow from Donatville has been keeping our roads open.

Ike Settles, Pete San Peitro, John Hovde and Harry Basaraba left for St. Vincent Lake to fish. Good luck boys!

John Palamaruk is opening a coffee and confectionary store in a building formerly owned by Dan Benuik.

The cafes of Lac la Biche are doing a roaring business with all the oil crews, etc., in town.

L.L.B. No. 1 oil well blew in February 28 in the morning with a large display of gas. There is danger of fire and the immediate area has been confined.

NEW SAREPTA NEWS

NEW SAREPTA.—Calgary Power is now servicing the town. Power was turned on last Wednesday and Thursday.

The Luther League held its regular meeting Sunday in the church basement. The president, Clem Beeler was in the chair. Miss Ruth Wedman, the secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting. Reports of the recent convention at Ellerslie were given by Ruth Wedman and Gladys Soch. Mission, Educational and Life Service secretaries were elected in the following order: Rose Fillan, Pete Pgetzke and Oliver Knopp. Rev. Wilkie led the discussion "Everybody Does It." Games under the leadership of Billy Knopp and Vernon Schlender were played.

Services are being held each Wednesday night at St. John's

Lutheran Church during the Lenten season.

English service was conducted by Rev. Wilkie Sunday morning. Drilling is still continuing at the well north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLeod of Barrhead were visitors in New Sarepta and Hay Lakes.

Mrs. A. Wedman is a patient in an Edmonton hospital.

Miss Mosand, the primary room teacher, is sick with the 'flu and the primary room will be closed for a week.

Mrs. H. Wolfe entertained the Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. A. Janke. Mrs. L. Tremppner and Mrs. T. Birkholtz were the prize winners. Those present were Mrs. A. Janke, Mrs. A. Johnston, Mrs. L. Tremppner, Mrs. H. Wegner, Mrs. T. Birkholtz and Mrs. F. Schlender.

Mr. Ted Kallas and Mr. Ed. Kallas visited Mr. August Kallas at Looma.

Mrs. L. Adolph and Miss Clara Adolph are visiting Mrs. Adolph's daughter, Mrs. H. Radke, in Edmonton.

Miss Irene Ertman spent the week-end in the city.

Week-end visitors to their homes included Miss Alice Miko and Miss Gertrude Handke.

Mrs. T. Birkholtz, Joy, Doreen and Normie visited Mr. and Mrs. Nasby of Leduc.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schlender and Freddie, Mr. and Mrs. Ebbie Schlender, Vernon Schlender and Oliver Knopp attended the hockey game in Edmonton Saturday.

A large clinic was held at the village school Wednesday by the Health Unit.

SPORTS

The Ufford school and Gibbons played a hockey game recently. The game ended up in a 2-2 tie after 10 minutes of overtime. The Ufford school also received an invitation to play in a hockey tournament at Waskatenau at a carnival on Thursday night. We understand the high school girls will

accompany the boys to cheer them on.

The principal of the Ufford high school and the superintendent of the Thorhill school division and the vice-president of the Egremont high school indulged in a midnight walking contest, the course covering six miles until 2:30 a.m., following a little misjudgment in turning a corner and stalling a car.

The Redwater principal refused to inform us of the winner of the contest. We infer that he must of come out third.

The mild weather on Sunday encouraged many spectators to visit Redwater. There was a tremendous amount of traffic on roads especially leading to oil wells. Visitors also came into into town and cafes were overcrowded. Cars were parked all along the main street, not leaving much space for through traffic.

U.C. Ladies' Aid Met March 3rd

MILLET. — The Ladies' Aid of the Millet United Church met at the home of Mrs. J. W. West on Thursday afternoon, March 3. There were 16 members and six visitors present.

General business was discussed. Arrangements were made to increase the fire insurance on the church. Mrs. Wood to attend to this matter. Plans were completed for the Easter tea and sale of home cooking and sewing.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. R. Womack.

A delicious afternoon tea was served by the hostess.

Mrs. T. Brennan Celebrated Birthday

MILLET. — Mrs. T. Brennan was surprised on Sunday evening when she was celebrating her 73rd birthday to have a number of her neighbors drop in to spend the evening. They brought along a delicious lunch and a birthday cake.

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News From Scotland

RESEARCH IN SCOTLAND

RESEARCH that was the passport in Scottish affairs during November. About a year ago, the government decided that the new research station for mechanical engineering, road-making, building, and fuel research should be located in Scotland. This was followed by an announcement that the station would be built beside the little town of East Kilbride, in Lanarkshire, which had few months earlier been designated as the site of one of the country's new towns.

Here, then, was a gesture to encourage any country, let alone one in which engineering practice looms so prominently as it does in Scotland. Not that Scotland did not already have research stations; the heavy industries like steel, shipbuilding and coal have all had their own scientific staffs working to improve standards of production as well as of quality.

There have been in operation, too, the fishing research station at Aberdeen, and the marine biological station on the Clyde, as well as agricultural stations sponsored by the Department of Agriculture for Scotland, and others under certain trades and commercial bodies. Research has been made more and more the responsibility of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research.

The latest meeting of the Scottish Economic Conference, presided over by Mr. Arthur Woodburn, was devoted almost entirely to a discussion of this subject of research in Scotland, and on this account Mr. Herbert Morrison, M.P., Lord President of the Council, and a member of the government, came north to address the conference, as he is the minister in charge of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research.

With him came Sir Edward Appleton, one of Britain's most noted scientists, who is in charge of the department, and who has just been appointed principal of Edinburgh University.

Pointing to the fact that Scotland, in proportion to her population, turned out twice the number of engineers and half as many science graduates as the United Kingdom, Mr. Morrison said such numbers could not all be employed in Scotland; the proportion of these experts employed in research was, in fact, only one-fifth of what it ought to be. Research

and technical development were the key to Scotland's future economic prosperity, and while the government was prepared to help as witness the new station at East Kilbride — the Scots must help themselves. This they are doing, aided by that energetic and forward-looking institution, the Scottish Council (Development and Industry).

THE LAND MAKES HISTORY

One of the items that appears on occasions on the Scottish menu and is liable to cause some speculation among the inhabitants of less favored nations is "black pudding". What are its origins? Of what does it consist? Without specifying its name, a hint was dropped by a distinguished Scot, Dr. Russell Greig, Director of the Animal Diseases Research Association in the course of a St. Andrew's Day address.

Speaking of Scottish country life in the 17th century, he observed, "The famished cattle had another hardship imposed upon them; they repeatedly bled and the blood mixed with human food." People, he added, apparently developed a taste for this dish and it was used even in times of comparative plenty. After this, it will come as no surprise to citizens of more civilized countries to learn that two hundred years ago Scots also indulged in alugs and snails. These, however, do not grace the table of the modern Scot.

Dr. Greig turned back the pages of Scotland's history to indicate the striking progress of agriculture in the country, and the contribution it has made to the world. In the early seventeenth century, he said, the land lay completely uncultivated except around the demesnes of the nobility and gentry. Not a dyke, not a fence, not a hedge, and over extensive areas of the country not a tree as far as the eye could reach. There was some truth in Dr. Johnson's ponderous remark that "a tree in Scotland is as rare as a horse in Venice".

The food of the people consisted almost entirely of oats and bere, a poor sort of barley. There was also some peas and green kail from the yard, for almost no other kind of vegetable was known to the common folk. Animal flesh was almost entirely unused by the great mass of the people, unless a cow or a sheep was found dead of disease or hunger. As late as 1780 there were many small towns in Scotland without a single butcher's shop.

In summer, the cattle were sent to graze on heathland; in winter the stock, including the sheep, were housed in wretched hovels. It was firmly believed that even sheep must be kept under cover if they were to live.

A mere accident is said to have dispelled this illusion in the north. A Perthshire lord, who had fallen on ill times and become an innkeeper, let his sheep run on the hill as he had no winter keep for them. When spring came it was found to the general amazement, that they were in better fettle (condition) than those that had been handled in houses. The Black Cattle were the staple of the stock, and the milch cows were the objects of special care.

To guard against the evil eye, a charm would be said over them every morning, and the cross-bar of the milking shackle was made of with elm or rowan as a precaution against witches.

The introduction in 1710 of the spinning machine by James McKillop of Saltoun, East Lothian, caused some heartburning, according to the Scriptures "the wind bloweth where it listeth and thou hearest the sound thereof but canst not tell whence it cometh and whither it goeth." But one heard the sound of the wind in the winnowing machine, and knew where it came from and whence it was going. The machine came to stay, however, for, said Dr. Greig, "We Scots are a devout folk, but we are also a practical folk, and we can make our conscience fit our convenience."

The potato was rarely grown in Scotland, even in the kailyards of the people, before 1735. In 1747 turnips were sown in Roxburgh by Dr. Rutherford. The people of Melrose "gathered in crowds to watch the doctor's man casting the queen seed in the wake of the plow, while another man behind dragged a white hush, to cover the seeds with the earth." The people with silent though devout fervor implored the blessing of Providence on the experiment.

The use of turnips produced spectacular results. A local minister remarked that two bullocks fed on the first crop grown in the country grew so big that the people regarded them as "monsters", and would have none of them. The turnip revolutionized cattle feeding and breeding. By providing ample winter keep, it permitted the breeder, for the first time, to select his stock animals, and thus began to build up the magnificent herds of today.

In the nineteenth century, the Scottish genius for engineering and mechanization came into play. Today, British agriculture is amongst the most highly mechanized in the world. Four of the harvesting machines invented by Patrick Bell in the 1820's were sent to America, and in the International Exhibition of 1851 American reaping machines were exhibited.

While many other advances were made by men other than Scotsmen, said Dr. Greig, it was well to remember the debt owed to Patrick Bell, who later became a minister of the Scottish Kirk, and good, too, to think that forty years after his invention he was present with the sum of one thousand pounds subscribed by Scottish farmers in recognition of his services.

FICKLE FISHING

"Fickle as herring" might well be a catchword in the herring fishing communities around the British Isles. For once again, the fluctuations which take place in the industry have been illustrated in the recently published report for 1947 of the Herring Industry Board, the controlling body for the industry in Britain. Scottish fishing vessels landed almost one-third of all the fish brought into the United Kingdom by British boats — not a bad achievement considering that Scotland's population is barely an eighth of that of England.

The business of catching herring is so predominant in Scotland that the board has its headquarters in Edinburgh. Supervising the work of the board are the Secretary of State for Scotland, the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries for England and Wales, and the Minister of Food.

In 1946, the year in which the board formed a Six-Year Plan for developing the industry, there was a glut of herring which caused suspension of catching operations and the disruption of all activities in the industry. In 1947, the board made arrangements to deal with a recurrence of such conditions. A contract was made between the Control Commission for Germany and the English Herring Catchers' Association for fresh herring to be landed by drifters direct at Ymuiden, in Holland, for onward despatch to Germany.

Another outlet was provided by chartering Norwegian vessels which were ready at short notice to take herring to Norway for conversion into oil and meal, should the glut prove extremely heavy. As it happened, these outlets were not required, though the season turned out to be quite successful.

Before the war, there was a trade in herring between Scotland and the United States. Off the Outer Hebrides, Island of Barra there was caught a particular type of herring which, when cured, were called "matjes", and found a keen demand in the U.S.

The board this year gave encouragement towards a revival of this fishing but despite the endeavors of one of the research boats, the "Silver Scout," only two baskets of herring were found in the area, and not a single fish was cured.

Similar conditions prevailed in the Firth of Forth, but, on the other hand, there was a welcome return of the shoals to the Firth of Clyde which had for some time been short, and the famous Loch Fyne once again came into its own as probably the most famous kippering centre in the country.

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3. Mining Engineering Students Develop Mines on the Campus

How can Mining Engineering students have mining prospects and mines with which to study their profession during their course at the university? University of Alberta students manage to get them with the help of imagination plus summer work in the mining camps.

Mining engineers in actual life do many things. They examine prospects and report on their value. They decide what sort of a mine is the best for getting at an ore body. They sink shafts into ore, drive tunnels through it and bring the ore to the surface. They build and operate mills to handle the mined ore and to rid it of worthless material. They estimate the cost of all these operations before they are undertaken as well as profits and advise against the project unless there is reasonable chance to make money.

Mining engineering students go to university to learn to do these things. The university cannot make experienced engineers out of them. But it can take all the mystery out of the things mining engineers are expected to do. After graduation they can go to work in the mining camps intelligently and fearlessly and become as experienced as their abilities and opportunities allow.

At the University of Alberta the Mining Engineering students in their final year are divided into groups of about five. Each group is given a mining property or prospect in an actual mining area. It may be a coal, gold or base metal property depending on the interests of the students. Some of the group probably have put in a summer's work in the mining area. All have worked in some mining camp and can visualize readily the property that has been assigned to them. They prospect the property and find mineralization in some location on it. They sample the vein and analyses of samples show certain values. Diamond drilling is done and an ore

body is found and outlined. A mine, including both surface structures and underground workings, is designed. Costs for all development are worked out and the profit to be expected from the entire project is estimated. There is much make-believe involved in the study. But once anything is "found" such as the location and shape of the ore body, this thing is as though it were actually so for the rest of the study. Actually, the work differs in no essential way from what is done in practical mining engineering. It consists of searching through the library for geological and mining reports on the mining area, study of catalogues for needed equipment and supplies, restudying of lecture notes and textbooks on courses in mathematics, civil engineering, mining methods and others to get on with the design of the mine and surface structures and the finding out of costs of all sorts of equipment and services by whatever means are necessary.

The student group is given a supply of an actual ore and it is assumed that this ore comes from the mining property of the group. The ore is submitted to tests in the laboratory. The results of these tests are made the basis for designing a mill for treating the ore.

The students take hold of "the project" with keen interest. This is the sort of work that all their formal studies have been leading up to. Their summer work in the mining camps further whets their appetites. When students are found during their noon hour arguing and almost quarrelling over whether they should sink an inclined shaft from this point or a vertical shaft from that point into their ore body it is safe to conclude that they have their teeth into something they relish. Their inquiries to supply houses become so realistic sometimes that merchants keen for business get the idea that a real mine is in the making. Professional people on and off the campus wonder what such a group of young men is seeking enlightenment about. But most people are good natured and indulgent with students really trying to learn.

University of Alberta mining students thrive on the training they get. Older graduates are to be found in top positions in the coal mines of the province and in most of the metal mining camps across the dominion. More recent graduates are there too on their way up.

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SEARCH FOR TALENT SHOW

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Mr. Pue,
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Dear Mr. Pue:
We wish to thank you for the publicity given us through your paper last week advertising the "Search for Talent Show" to appear in Morinville on March 12.

If you find you have a little space for us this week, we would appreciate it if you could mention all contestants must appear at the

Hall for a rehearsal between 4:30 and 5 o'clock and there is still time for a few more to register. Mr. A. Reid, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada will be glad to have the names of any whom might be interested in appearing on this show to be held in the Parish hall this Saturday.

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ROLLY VIEW
NEWS

ROLLY VIEW.—Rheinhold Kneller, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kneller, was rushed to an Edmonton hospital where he is recovering from a bronchial pneumonia attack.

Mrs. G. Hold underwent an operation in an Edmonton hospital last week. She is recovering satisfactorily.

On Sunday, Feb. 27, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Schubert was christened Vernon Rudolf at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Flipse of Edmonton were god-parents.

The new church building fund is starting to grow and work will start on the new church as soon as the ground is thawed out.

Visiting at O. Blumenthal's on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Molzan of Tretton.

The Rolly View Luther League's Amateur Hour and pie social was a huge success. Proceeds were donated to the church building fund.

Celebrates 80th
Birthday, March 6th

MILLET.—Mr. R. P. Roop is celebrating his 80th birthday on Sunday, March 6. He will go to Edmonton to visit his son, Gerald who is celebrating his birthday on March 7, and they will have a joint birthday party.

Mr. Roop has lived in the Millet district since the beginning of the century, when he homesteaded west of Millet. The Millet Women's Institute presented Mr. Roop with a birthday cake.

REDWATER NEWS

REDWATER.—Mrs. Mary Sawka and family visited relatives at Lamont on Sunday.

A natural gas well is being drilled about one mile northeast of Redwater to supply fuel for the new Imperial townsite.

Mr. John Lakusta of Amelia passed away on Saturday, Feb. 26. He leaves to mourn his wife, one daughter, Irene Malawang of Redwater, and three sons.

Mrs. Recketts Given
Surprise Party

MILLET.—Mrs. Recketts was very much surprised on her birthday, March 1, when her family came to visit her at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Gain, bringing a delicious lunch with them for the occasion.

Guests included, Mrs. Lyl Elder, Mrs. Phil Mullen, Mrs. Carl Thompson, Mrs. Reuben Rudolph, Mrs. Ray Brennan, Elaine Kelley, as well as the children of the guests. All enjoyed the party as much as the guest of honor.

Mrs. C. Harvey
Visits Father

MILLET.—Mrs. Chas. Harvey of Kenora, Ont., has returned to her home after a short visit with her family. She came west to see her father, Mr. Chris. Moen, who had been a patient in the Wetaaskwin hospital.

Mr. Moen is now at home again and feeling much better. While here Mrs. Harvey was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Moen. She went east on the Friday noon train.

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